

Cinderella Discussion Prompts

Before reading book, ask children to think about the Marshall *Cinderella* story (show cover on this card) and pay close attention to this story from _____ [your country] to find the things that are the same or different.

After reading book, discuss some of the following questions:

1. What did you notice that was the same in this story as in James Marshall's Cinderella story?
2. What was different in this story?
3. How is the main character in the story the same or different from James Marshall's Cinderella?
4. Is there magic in the story? Who uses the magic in this story? Who uses magic in the Marshall story?
5. How was the end of the story the same or different from the James Marshall story?
6. What was the setting of the story? (long ago, village, city, Africa, India...)